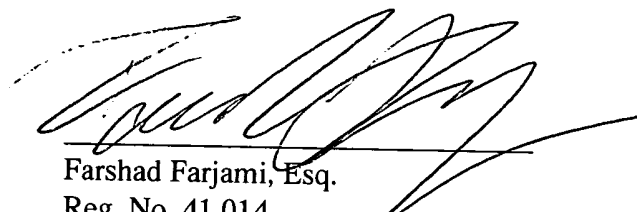


REMARKS

By this preliminary amendment, applicants have amended the specification to claim priority to a pending U.S. application.

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